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Dear Sir:

This paper is presented as a submission accompanying the request for continued examination submitted concurrently herewith, and to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.